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Sixteen young Federal Government men in the Washington area have reached the semifinals in the annual Arthur S. Flemming Awards program.

They are among 20 semifinalists who will be presented at a luncheon Jan. 27 at the National Lawyer's Club. A panel of judges will select 10 of the 20 to receive the Flemming Award at a second luncheon Feb. 17 at the Statler Hilton Hotel.

The awards were set up to give recognition to young men who have made outstanding contributions in public service. Recipients must be under 40. Five are selected from those holding executive or administrative positions and five from those in scientific or technical fields.

The program, now in its 18th year, is sponsored by the Downtown Jaycees of the D.C. Junior Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with the Civil Service Commission. It is underwritten by Chesapeake and

Potomac Telephone Co., Potomac Electric Power Co. and Washington Gas Light Co. The awards are named for the former Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare.

Area semifinalists are: Richard R. Bonner, supervisory general engineer, Headquarters, U.S. Army Supply and Maintenance Command; Andrew F. Brimmer, assistant secretary of commerce for economic affairs; Raymond L. Garthoff, special assistant for Soviet bloc politico-military affairs, State Department; Wilnot N. Hess, chief, Laboratory for Theoretical Studies Excepted, National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Charles H. Murphy Jr., physical science administrator, U.S. Army ballistic Research Laboratories at Aberdeen, Md.; Albert D. Wheelon, deputy director for science and technology, Central Intelligence Agency; John P. O'Leary, deputy assistant secretary of interior; David Z. Robinson, technical assistant, Office of Science and Technology, White House; Bruce N. Ames, research chemist, Biochemistry Branch, National Institutes of Health.

Lester F. Brown, agricultural economist, Agriculture Department; Robert A. Froesch, deputy director, Advanced Research Projects Agency and Director for Nuclear Test Detection, Defense Department; William H. Josephson, general counsel, Peace Corps; Robert Lundegard, head of the Logistics and Mathematical Statistics Branch, Office of Naval Research.

Timothy J. May, managing director, Federal Maritime Commission; Monte R. Niblack, associate deputy commissioner for management, Federal Housing Administration; William A. Williams Jr., chief, Research Branch, Division of Research, Development and Technology, Atomic Energy Commission.

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